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Historical Commission | Town of Marion
2 Spring Street
Marion MA 02738

Minutes, Marion Historical Commission

Wednesday, January 12, 2022, 5:30-7:00 pm via Zoom

Present: Meg Steinberg, Bryan McSweeney, Will Tifft, Jane Tucker

Absent: Sid Bowen

1. VOTE to approve Minutes of December 8, 2021 meeting. Unanimously approved.
2. Update on 2021 Grant (Lynn): Phase 1 Report and 4 Phase 2 sample forms received, reviewed, commented on. Samples in Dropbox. Preliminary comments all positive from MHC. Discussion regarding best format for delivery and storage. General feeling that these should be available at both the Elizabeth Taber Library and Sippican Historical Society.
3. Also discussed Will's draft letter to distribute to homeowners to build appreciation for their homes and the broader historic architecture in Marion. Will continue to revise but retain the emotional appeal as well as factual info.
4. Update on 2021 Grant (Claire): Phase 3a and 3b reviewed and commented on. Await review meeting with state MHC before final submissions and mapping. Await state input on mapping requirements before meeting with Doug Guey-Lee re mapping. Discussed local repository and will request both ETL and SHS.
5. MHC S&P 2023 status. Proposal declined, as expected it would be after 2 successful awards.
6. CPC funds:
FY 2022 funds – now available for additional survey work. RFQ in process.
FY2023 funds – application due February 4. Discussed target areas ranging from extending village coverage to outlying areas from East Marion to North Marion (County Road and Front Street intersection).
6. Website photos updated again by Bryan. Thank you.
7. MHC Annual Report – draft reviewed and approved. Meg will submit.
8. Welcome letter - 62 Water Street. New research by Lynn included.
9. 49 Water Street. Conservation Commission meeting January 12 at 7:00. Meg to write a letter to Conservation Commission.
10. Discussion of interests expressed in Local Historic District. Link to MHC LHD Manual: <https://www.sec.state.ma.us/mhc/mhcpdf/establishinglocalhistoricdistricts.pdf>
Will to set up a meeting by SHS to explore interest in Historic District Committee.
11. Date for next meeting set for Wednesday, February 23rd at 5pm.

Respectfully submitted by William N. Tifft, Clerk

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